

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY SANTO DOMINGO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3340

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAIR, DR

SUBJECT: TAXES CHARGED U.S. AIRLINES BY FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS

REF: A) STATE 077248, APRIL 7, 1975

B) SANTO DOMINGO 2007, MAY 15, 1974

1. THERE IS NO LEGAL, AND, AS FAR AS WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO DETERMINE, NO ACTUAL DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE BASIS OF GODR TAXES PAID BY THE COMPANIA DOMINICANA DE AVIACION (CDA) AND FOREIGN AIRLINES, INCLUDING PAN AM. ALL CORPORATE TAXES ARE BASED ON GROSS REVENUE. THE STORY CITED REFTEL A) IS A CONTINUOUSLY RE-CIRCULATING RUMOR WHICH DOES NOT SEEM TO BE BASED ON FACT.

2. GODR DISCRIMINATION IN FAVOR OF CDA REMAINS AS REPORTED REFTEL B), THE MAJOR ITEM BEING THE DIRECT GOVERNMENT SUBSIDY OF ALL CDA OPERATING LOSSES.  
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